PTO/SB/21 (09-04) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Pape Fork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. PADEMARKO **Application Number** 10/597,346 TRANSMITTAL Filing Date 07/21/2006 First Named Inventor **FORM** Jeffrey P. Reistroffer **Art Unit Examiner Name** (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing) **Attorney Docket Number** REI06-0001 Total Number of Pages in This Submission **ENCLOSURES** (Check all that apply) After Allowance Communication to TC Fee Transmittal Form Drawing(s) Appeal Communication to Board Licensing-related Papers of Appeals and Interferences Fee Attached Appeal Communication to TC Petition (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) Amendment/Reply Petition to Convert to a Proprietary Information **Provisional Application** After Final Power of Attorney, Revocation Status Letter Affidavits/declaration(s) **Change of Correspondence Address** Other Enclosure(s) (please Identify Terminal Disclaimer **Extension of Time Request** below): Request for Refund **Express Abandonment Request** CD, Number of CD(s)_ Information Disclosure Statement Landscape Table on CD **Certified Copy of Priority** Remarks Document(s) Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT Firm Name Antoirette M. Tease, P.L.L. &. Signature Printed name Antoinette M. Tease Reg. No. Date

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below: Signature Date 09/11/2006 Donnetta Graham Typed or printed name

09/11/2006

53680

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS, SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

PTO/SB/08A (08-03)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Complete if Known Substitute for form 1449/PTO **Application Number** 10/597,346 Filing Date 07/21/2006 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE First Named Inventor Jeffrey P. * STATEMENT BY APPLICANT Art Unit (Use as many sheets as necessary) Examiner Name REI06-0001 of 1 **Attorney Docket Number** Sheet 1

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS Examiner Cite Document Number Publication Date Name of Patentee or Pages, Columns, Lines							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Number-Kind Code ^{2 (if known)}	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear		
		^{US-} 6,460,535	10/08/2002	Nisewander et al.			
		^{US-} 3,830,156	08/20/1974	Sewell et al.			
		^{US-} 4,025,369	05/24/1977	Price et al.			
		^{US-} 6,152,010	11/28/2000	Mixon et al.			
		^{US-} 5,894,891	04/20/1999	Rosenstock et al.			
		^{US-} 4,938,293	07/03/1990	Warren et al.			
	-	US- 5,293,859	03/15/1994	Lisker			
_		US- 5,983,886	11/16/1999	Allbeck			
		US- 2001/0030006	10/18/2001	Fischer et al.			
	<u> </u>	US-					
		US-					
-		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
•		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶		
		Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	MM-DD-YYYY					
·								

		Au .
Examiner	Date	
Signature	Conside	red

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.